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A Christmas Visitor.

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A little snow-bird blithe and gay,

Comes to greet you Christmas-day.

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Out for a walk this
Christmas-day,
Over the new lain snow,
I've brought some crumbs
to scatter,
For the birdies as I go:
They fly about my path so tame,
I'm sure they all must know
my name.

So they call me little snow bird,
Because I love the snow,
The winter-birds and winter-nooks,
Where holly-berries grow;
And I'll pluck some holly now for you,
Because I know you love them too.

I wonder why the berries grow,
In winter-time, so red,
When everything is withered dry
And all the flowers are dead;
Perhaps like me they love the snow,—
They love the Christmas-time
I know.

The Merry Christmas-
time for us,
My beppies bright and me
Do know best —
the time of all,
For happiness and glee:
Together now, with greeting gay
We come to bless
your Christmas-
day

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